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Via Messenger

The Honorable Vernon A. Williams
Secretary
Surface Transportation Board
1925 K Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20423-0001



RE: STB Finance Docket No. 34178, *Dakota, Minnesota & Eastern Railroad Corporation and Cedar American Rail Holdings, Inc.—Control—Iowa, Chicago & Eastern Railroad Corporation.*

Dear Secretary Williams:

Enclosed please find an original and ten (10) copies of the "Certificate of Service" evidencing service on the parties of record on November 18, 2002 of the Notice of Intent of MidAmerican Energy Company ("MidAmerican"). In compliance with the Board's decision in this docket served October 23, 2002, MidAmerican also encloses a 3.5-inch IBM compatible floppy diskette containing an electronic copy of the foregoing Certificate of Service compatible with WordPerfect 9.0.

Also note, on November 15, 2002, MidAmerican filed with the Surface Transportation Board a Verified Statement of Paul E. Freund and served all parties of record on this date.

Also enclosed is one additional copy of the Certificate of Service for stamp and return. Kindly date-stamp the additional copy for return to this office by messenger.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me. My office telephone number is (202) 331-8800.

Sincerely,

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